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Dear Judge KK;

As a long-time (and very discontented) Micosoft user, I find it almost unbearable to think that I will be forced to continue to use the MS operating systems - and (gasp) MS applictions - indefinitely into the future if the PFJ is approved as it now stands.

Please help bring at least a modicum of real competition to our country's PC software industry. For all of us millions that use the PC everyday to do a variety of tasks, how much nicer it would be to have truly free choice in applications - and an Operating System that actually worked without crashing.

Clearly you can't do a lot about the latter. But please do something about the former. Please don't allow the 'bolting' provision of the PFJ to stand.

Sincerely yours.

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